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SUBJ: CONGRESSIONAL INQUIRY: EBERLE THEODORE

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1. SINCE RECEIPT REFTEL, WE HAVE TAKEN FULLEST RECOURSE TO INFORMATION AVAILABLE WITHIN EMBASSY AND FROM INFORMAL SOURCES BUT, SO FAR, HAVE BEEN UNABLE TO DEVELOP USEFUL INFORMATION ABOUT SUBJECT OR EVEN TO ESTABLISH HIS IDENTITY. WE CANNOT CONFIRM HE WAS ONCE A HAITIAN SENATOR. ONE SOURCE BELIEVES HE MAY HAVE BEEN A DEPUTY IN LOWER HOUSE OF HAITIAN LEGISLATURE DURING PRESIDENCY OF DUMARSAIS ESTIME SOME 25 YEARS AGO.

2. WHEREAS WE COULD PURSUE INQUIRY BY APPROACHING ONE OR MORE SENIOR OFFICIALS IN GOH (DEPT. OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND/OR DEPT. OF INTERIOR AND NATIONAL DEFENSE), SUCH COURSE COULD INVOLVE DANGERS TO SUBJECT--AT MINIMUM, LESSENING HIS CHANCES OF OBTAINING PASSPORT OR EXIT VISA.

3. IF DEPARTMENT WISHES EMBASSY TO PURSUE MATTER, WE WOULD NEED ADDITIONAL BIOGRAPHIC DATA FROM SON ABOUT FATHER'S PAST CAREER AND ACTIVITIES AND LAST KNOWN WHEREABOUTS IN HAITI. IN PARTICULAR, HE WOULD HAVE TO FURNISH ALL KNOWN DETAILS ABOUT ALLEGED ARRESTS AND TIMES WHEN THEY OCCURED, AS WELL AS CANDID STATEMENT AS TO WHETHER FATHER WAS EVER ENGAGED IN ACTIVE OPPOSITION TO DUVALIERIST REGIME OR ADVOCATED ITS OVERTHROW BY FORCE.

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